Combination Synopsis/Solicitation – Snowmaking Machine

Solicitation Number: W9124R-05-T-0055

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This is a Combined Synopsis/Solicitation for commercial items prepared in accordance with the format in the Federal Acquisition Regulation (FAR) Part 12 Acquisition of Commercial Items and Part 13 Simplified Acquisition Procedures, as supplemented with additional information included in this notice. The solicitation document and incorporated provisions and clauses are those in effect through Fac 2005-05, Effective 27 July 2005 & Class Deviation 2005-0001 and Defense Federal Acquisition Regulation Supplement (DFARs), current to DCN 20050726 Edition. This announcement constitutes the only solicitation. Request for Proposals (RFP) are being requested and a written solicitation will not be issued. The awarded contract will be firm fixed price. It is anticipated that payment will be made by Government Visa Credit Card. This acquisition is a 100% Small Business Set-Aside. The North American Industry Classification System (NAICS) is 333415 with a size standard of 750 employees. All prospective offerors must be actively registered in the Central Contractor Registration. Offerors may register online at https://www.bpn.gov/CCR/scripts/index.html or http://www.ccr.gov The proposal shall consist of one Contract Line Item Number (CLIN 0001), Quantity 1, Unit of Issue: Each, Description: MOBILE HYBRID ELECTRIC TEST TRACK SNOWMAKING SYSTEM. THE SPECIFICATIONS ARE AVAILABLE ON THE U.S. ARMY CONTRACTING AGENCY YUMA WEBSITE

www.yuma.army.mil/contracting/rfp.html Item must be delivered to Ft. Greely, AK, 99737, Cold Regions Test Center by Oct. 17, 2005. All proposals shall be clearly marked with RFP number W9124R-05-T-0055 and emailed to Edgar. Angulo@yuma.army.mil or sent by facsimile to 928-328-6849 no later than 11:00 AM MST, 30 AUGUST 2005. Offers that fail to furnish required representations or technical information as required by FAR Clause 52.212-1 cited below or reject the terms and conditions of this solicitation may be excluded from consideration. The following FAR Clauses and Provisions are incorporated by reference and apply to this acquisition. FAR provision 52.212-1 Instructions to Offerors Commercial Items (Jan 2005). NOTE: in order to complete the Representation and Certifications for the following referenced provisions you must go to the Air Force Web Site at http://farsite.hill.af.mil/Vffar1.htm, locate the reference clause, copy and paste it to a Word document and complete FAR provision 52.212-3 Offeror Representations and Certifications Commercial Items (Mar 2005) Alternate I (Apr 2002). FAR 52.212-4 Contract Terms and Conditions Commercial Items (Oct 2003) and specifically addendum 52.247-34 FOB Destination (Nov 1991). FAR 52.212-2 Evaluation Commercial Items (Jan 1999), Award will be made on a best value basis and the Government reserves the right to award to other than the low offeror. Paragraph a. of provision 52.212-2 is completed as follows: i) technical capability of the item to meet the requirements of the Government, ii) past performance, and iii) price. Technical capability is considered the most important evaluation for this acquisition, past performance is second in order of importance, and third is price. Technical proposals will be reviewed for compliance with the description and specifications for this requirement. Past performance will then be evaluated for all offerors whose technical proposals have been determined acceptable. Offerors shall include in their proposal, past performance information on at least two other contracts in which they

provided the same or similar items. Past performance information shall include the following: 1) Contract Number, 2) Company/Agency Name and Address, and 3) Name of Point of Contact with Phone Number and Email Address. FAR 52.212-5 Contract Terms and Conditions required to Implement Statues or Executive Order Commercial Items (July 2005) apply to this acquisition. Specific clauses cited in FAR 52.212-5 that are applicable to this acquisition are 52.222-3 Convict Labor (Jun 2003), 52.222-19 Child Labor Cooperation with Authorities and Remedies (Jun 2004), 52.222-21 Prohibition of Segregated Facilities (Feb 1999), 52.222-26 Equal Opportunity (Apr 2002), 52.222-35 Equal Opportunity for Special Disabled Veterans, Veterans of the Vietnam Era, and Other Eligible Veterans (Dec 2001), 52.222-36 Affirmative Action for Workers with Disabilities (Jun 1998), 52.222-37 Employment Reports on Special Disabled Veterans, Veterans of the Vietnam Era, and Other Eligible Veterans (Dec 2001), 52.232-34 Payment by Electronic Funds Transfer Central Contractor Registration (May 1999), 52.232-36 Payment by Third Party (May 1999). DFARS Clause 252.212-7001 Contract Terms and Conditions Required to Implement Statutes or Executive Orders Applicable to Defense Acquisitions of Commercial Items (June 2005) applies to this Acquisition, and specifically 252.225-7001 Buy American Act Trade Agreements Balance of Payments Program (June 2005). DFARS 252.232-7003 Electronic Submission of Payment Requests (Jan 2005). If you plan on participating in this acquisition you are required to provide your name, address, phone number, and email address to Edgar Angulo via email to Edgar. Angulo@yuma.army.mil or facsimile (928) 328-6849 for notification of amendments. See Note 1 for small business-set asides.